



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of)
SATOU et al.) Art Unit 2826
Application Number: 10/823,734)
Filed: April 14, 2004) Examiner Andujar,
For: A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE) Leonardo
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**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231**

LETTER TO THE OFFICE DRAFTSPERSON

Sir:

Submitted herewith are corrected drawing replacement sheets that include Figures 21 and 23 through 26. Specifically, in Figure 21 of the drawings the letter "m" and the corresponding lead line have been added. In Figures 23 and 24 of the Drawings, the legend "Conventional Art" has been added. Also, in Figures 25 and 26 of the drawings the legend "Related Art" has been added.

Kindly direct any inquiries in connection with this matter to the undersigned at the below-listed address and telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

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The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

| FOR | TOTAL WITH NEW CLAIMS ADDED | TOTAL CURRENTLY ON FILE | CLAIMS ALREADY PAID | RATE | CALCULATION |
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| Total Claims | 16 | 16 | (Over 20) | x \$50 | 0 |
| Independent Claims | 1 | 1 | (Over 3) | x \$200 | 0 |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) | | | | + \$360 | 0 |
| REDUCTION FOR FILING BY SMALL ENTITY (note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). | | | | x ½ | |
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 Substitute Specification
 Preliminary Amendment
 Other _____

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A check in the amount of **\$120.00** to cover the one-month extension fee are enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 08-1480**.

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